

Notice of Proposed No Further Action

For

Ferndale Main Street Residence
857 Main Street
Ferndale, CA

Case Number 1THU993

Humboldt County

Notice Posting Date: February 26, 2020

End of Comment Period: April 27, 2020

A soil and groundwater investigation was conducted at the above-referenced site and a release of petroleum hydrocarbons was documented. Although some contamination remains, this site meets the conditions for closure under the State Water Resources Control Board's "Low-Threat Underground Storage Tank Case Closure Policy." Regional Water Board staff proposes that no further work be required. The purpose of this notice is to inform interested parties, including owners of nearby land, that the case is being considered for closure, and to invite public comment on this proposed decision.

Problem Description

A previous underground storage tank fuel system, removed in 2018, released diesel to soil and groundwater at this site. Soil and groundwater at and around the site have been investigated. Groundwater monitoring at the site has shown contamination in groundwater in the immediate vicinity of the site, but the contamination is no longer spreading. No water supply wells were impacted by this contamination.

Proposed Action

Case closure is proposed. This site meets the conditions for closure under the State Water Resources Control Board's "[Low-Threat Underground Storage Tank Case Closure Policy](#)."

Unless significant comments are received or new information is presented regarding this site, Regional Water Board staff plans to proceed with the closure process upon conclusion of the comment period. Please contact Julie Duong at (707) 576-2703 or Julie.Duong@waterboards.ca.gov with any questions or comments. Written comments may also be submitted to:

North Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board
Attention: Julie Duong
5550 Skylane Blvd, Suite A
Santa Rosa, CA 95403

All records for this case are available electronically on the [State Water Resources Control Board's GeoTracker website](#) at http://geotracker.waterboards.ca.gov/profile_report.asp?global_id=T10000011866.